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Request for Continued Examination and Preliminary Amendment

This communication is in response to the *final* Office Action dated 9 January 2008. This response is filed within the three (3) month shortened statutory period and therefore applicant's agent believes no extension of time is necessary. However, should applicant's agent be in error in this regard, please consider this as a request for an extension of time as necessary, and to charge the identified deposit account for the requisite amount of time required to effect the filing of this Amendment Response. Please amend the application as follows.

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